Alexandria Gazetie.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 14.

LOCAL NEWS.

weather, with rain, light to fresh northeasterly winds increasing in force, with bri sk to hi h winds on the coast.

CITY COUNCIL.

After a three week's interval, a regular meeting of the City Council was held last

BOARD OF ALDERMEN President Strauss and all the Aldermen

were present and one spectator only watched the deliberations of the board. A resolution providing that in future the regular meetings of Council be held on the

and Tuesday in each month (laid over at the last meeting) was read, when
Mr. Leadbeater moved to lay the resolution over for the present, for the reason that the amount of business now before the Committee on Finance renders it necessary for Council to meet twice a month for some

time at least. His motion was adopted. Mr. Bryant offered a resolution protesting against the passage of a law by the Legislature of Virginia increasing the salary of the Judge of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria from \$1,400 to \$2,000 per annum, and directing the Clerk of the Common Council to transmit the resolution to the Senator from this district and the Delc-gate from this city in the General Assembly with instructions that they use their endeavors to prevent the passage of such a

Mr. Leadbeater seconded the resolution. which was passed unanimously.

An intermission of about twenty minutes followed, after which several communications from the Common Council were re-ceived, most of which were concurred in; but when the report of the Finance Commit-tee increasing the salary of the City Treas-urer from \$200 to \$500 for the ensuing year was read, some debate followed.

Mr. Leadbeater said the matter was one

that should receive some consideration. The City Treasurer at present receives but \$200 per annum from the city, he heretefore de pended upon the perquisites of the office to render it a paying one. "It should be no ticed," the speaker said, "that the report only recommended the increase during the present fiscal year, after which time the State would doubtless take some action in

Mr. Lambdin asked for information in regard to the matter, and seemed disposed to

combat the adoption of the report.

Mr. Leadbeater again explained the action of the committee in the case, and said they certainly studied the interests of the city in all matters referred to them, and this was an instance in which they had acted conscientiously in endeavoring to com pensate a faithful officer for the services he renders. The salary he received from the city was small, and of late his perquisites from the State had been exceedingly limit ted. He was an efficient Treasurer, and should be fail to receive a suitable salary for his work he might resign.

Mr. Lambdin—"That would be no serious

caiamity, would it?"

Mr. Agnew favored the adoption of the committee's report, saying he wished the city were in a condition to pay the Treasumore than \$500; that was no suitable compensation for his services.

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msrely no minal; he really drew ms my from the Star and the increase proposed was beyond all com, adversely.

compelled to vote and think the increase Mr, McKenzie did and the word, that the excessive. He suppose a ling for disbursing the school fund.

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Messrs. Marbury and Strauge assured Mr.

McK. that Mr. Harlow received nothing

meet the wants of the city when the treasury members, save Mr. Lambdio, voting "aye." The latter gentleman, however, subsequently change. I his vote to make it unanimous, saying he had opposed the increase conscientiously as a representative of a portion

of the tax payers of the city.

A resolution was received from the Common Council thanking the delegate in the Legislature from this city for his action in antagonizing the introduction of the bill increasing the salary of the judge of the Cor-

poration Court.

Mr. Bryant opposed a concurrence in the action of the lower board, saying the resolution was a reflection on Mr. Moore, the Senator from this district, who had been resolution to the beautiful though he had at Senator from this district, who had been requested to present the bill, though he had at the same time asserted that should he find the majority of the people of Alexandria averse to its passage he would speak and vote against its passage. If the delegate antagonized the passage of the bill he did right, but as the resolution read it seemed to reflect on Mr. Moore who was also ready to act in the interests of the people. He moved that the resolution be laid on the table, and his motion prevailed.

on the table, and his motion prevailed. After the transaction of other business of no special importance, the board adjourned.

COMMON COUNCIL. The Common Council held its regular

meeting last night with a full attendance. Mr. J. H. Strider acted as clerk.

The Finance Committee, to whom was referred the application of the Treasurer for an increase of salary, made the following report: "The Finance Committee recommend that the salary of the City Treasurer for the year beginning July 1, 1887, and end-- June 30, 1888, be fixed at \$500," and he aport of the committee was concurred he a

'otion being introduced asking the A reso. to re-enact the law suthorizing a special asse. Mr. Snowden the of January, 1879, passure had on the lutin in Alexandria a different many and an act authorizin. ent rate of corporation assessment from that of the State assessment, at that this act had been left out of the new c. de by mistake and would have to be readopted. The resolution

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Mr. Bayne presented a resolution thanking Delegate Corbet for his course in not presenting the bill increasing the salary of the Corporation Judge to the House of Delegates

egates.

Mr. Snowden said Council had already adopted a resolution opposing the bill, and he supposed that that sufficiently indicated its sentiment on the subject.

Mr. Bayne said that the bill for raising the salary of the Corporation Judge had been presented to Mr. Corbet at the same time it was presented to Senator Moore, but he had as presented to Senator Moore, but he had declined to bring it before the Legislature until he knew what was the wish of the pecple of Alexandria on the subject.

thought this course should be approved. to a resolution of thanks at the proper time, but his was not the time for it.

The resolution was adopted. No other business occasioned discussion. and the board adjourned until its January

PRESONAL -Mrs. Judge Charles E. Stuart entertained a large number of her friends at a tea yesterday evening at her residence, on For this section warmer, threatening Misses Wellford and Broadnax, of Rickmond.

Mrs. George McKnot, of Lancaster, Penn-

Among the county treasurers in Rich mond yesterday, on business with the State treasurer, was Mr. J. H. Chichester, of Fair-

Mrs. Marion H. Chalkley, of Richmond, Va., is in the city visiting friends.
Col. J. S. Mosby arrived in Washington from California last night and was met by a number of his friends from this city.

Mr. George Washington, jr., who was in jured in a railroad accident last summer, i

able to be out again.

It is understood that Mesers. Thomas Semmes and Aug. Idensen, of this city, will lose their positions on the R. & D. R. R. by the removal of the effices of that company from Washington to Richmond.

Grand Lodge of Virginia.—The Grand Lodge of Virginia, A. F. and A. M., at its session in Richmond last night re elected all the old officers, as follows: William F. Drinkard, grand master; Robert T. Craig Drinkard, grand master; Robert T. Craighill, deputy grand master; George H. Jordan, grand senior warden; J. Howard Wayt, grand junior warden; William T. Allen, grand treasurer; E. G. Tompkins, deputy grand treasurer; William B. Isaacs, grand secretary; William B. Isaacs, jr., deputy grand secretary; William H. Pleasants, grand senior deacon; Mann Page, grand junior deacon; Junius A. Cosby, grand pursuivant, and William C. Wilkinson, grand tiler. After all the work was over, the lodge was called off from labor to refreshment, and enjoyed a magnificent banquet, at which seats were laid for 300. banquet, at which seats were laid for 300.

POLICE REPORT.—Last night was clear and cool with three prisoners and fourteen lodgers at the station house. The Mayor this morning disposed of the

Isaac Hoakly, colored, arrested by Lieut. Smith for fighting, was fined \$3, and Richard Reynolds, arrested on the same charge, was dismissed.

Lee Morris, charged with profane and in decent language, was fined \$2.

Jas Webb, colored, for disorderly conduct was fined \$3.

ROYAL ARCANUM.—At a regular meeting of Alexandria Council No. 627 Royal Arcanum held on Monday night last the follow ing officers were elected for the ensuing year: Regent, Thos. Moss; Vice Regent, H.
K. Field; Orator, D. Bendheim; Secretary
J. E. Alexander: Collector, B. W. Nalls;
Treasurer, Geo. Uhler; Chaplain, John J.
Jamieson; Guide, J. Sidney Douglas, Ir;
Worden J. Fisher Warden, I. Eichberg; Secretary, A. J. Fisher.

ELECTION FOR COUNCILMAN .- An elec tion for councilman from the third ward will be held to morrow. The polls will be open from sunrise to sunset at the old Court The democratic nominee is Mr. C J. W. Summers and, as will be seen, the democratic committee urge upon democrats in that ward the importance of voting to-

LOCAL BREVITIES.

There was a heavy frost this morning, a!most equaling a snow.

To-day is the SSth anniversary of the leath of General Washington, he having died Dec. 14, 1799.

The County School Board met to-lay, ex amined the treasurer's school account and transacted some other routine business. The Corporation Court met this morning

bu', without transacting any business, ad journed till Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

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A meeting will be held at Grace Church

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Mr. G. E. Price will have for sale in the market every day this week some fine fresh

A bronze statue of Gen. R. E. Lee will be affled off on Friday night, at the Concordia Hotel, at 9 o'clock.

Weak lungs, spitting of blood, consumption and kindred affections, cured without a physician. Address for treatise, with 10 cents in stamps, World's Dispensary Medical Association, 663 Main Street, Buffalo,

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands of despairing patients can testify. On this point a trustworthy medical writer says: "Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but mary, if not most of the necessary to success, but mary, if not most of the remedies in general use by physicians afford but temporary benefit. A cure certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes." Ely's Cream Balm is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power with perfect safety and pitescentials to the patient.

For A USEFUL PRESENT a nice closk for your wife or child would be very acceptable, and no one keeps a better stock at more reasonable prices than our former townsman, Chas. Baum, of 416 Seventh street, Washington, who has an immense establish ment and at present is making a great display of Holiday Goods. Pay him a visit.

NOTICE—The annual meeting of the stock-holders of the MECHANICS' BUILDING ASSOCIATION of Alexandria, Va., for the election of officers, &c., will be hold at Concordia Hall THUESDAY, January 5, 1888, at 8:30 o'clock LEONARD MARBURY, p. m. Secretary. dec14 2awtd

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Mr. Snowden said there was no objection
of a resolution of thanks at the proper time. J. m., sharp. dec14 2aw2w J. SCHNEIDER, Secretary,

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The opening of the stock market was unusually strong this morning, the advances over last evening's final prices ranging from % to % per cent. There was no change in the character of the market, but it still remained narrow, with the bulk of the trading confined to a half dozen stocks. The market was somewhat irregular but generally steady, and developed no change, but relapsed into extreme dallness late in sylvania, is on a visit to her mother, Mrs. the hour, and at 11 o'clock it was very dull and Mary Kinzer. steady at about opening prices. Money 4:5.

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	Family	4 40	100	5 00
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Flour is steady and firm, with a fair local de mand, mainly from jobbing traders. The Wheat markets for several days past have been heavy showing fractional declines in futures, but there is no falling off in the volume of sales, and the from the school fund.

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the Sate Senate by Mr. Moore.

The Baldwin Theatre Company last night

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The bill to amend the charter of the Min

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> A meeting will be held at Grace Church this evening at 7 30 o'clock for the purpose of organizing at 1 ble class. All who wish to join the class are cordially invited, grown people especially.
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> The directors of Mt. Ver. on Building Association No 2 met last night and declared a dividend of \$1 per share. This is equal to within a fraction of six per cent. The association has been in existence two y. 18.
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> Detectives made a raid on the policy shape of Ben Beveridge and Zeke Cade, in Washington yesterday, and captured the proprietors and nineteen players. Beveridge and Cade left \$50 collateral each for their appearance in court to-day. The players were held as witnesses.
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> Dr. R. C. Powell delivered an interesting address before the Y. M. C. A. last night, taking for his subject, "Fossil Remains of Extinct Animals." The lecture was made very interesting by the use of several drawings which the Doctor made for the occa-BALTIMORE, Dec 14 .- Cotton steady and quiet

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Cotton dull and firm; uplands 10 9 16; Orleans 10 11 16; futures steady. Flour dull and heavy. Wheat lower. Corn lower. Pork quiet and steady at \$15 25 a 15 50; old mess Pork quiet and steady at \$14 50 a14 75. Lard easier at \$7 75.

CHICAGO, Dec. 14, 11 a. m.—The leading fu-tures ruled as follows: May Wheat 82½; May Corn 52½; May Gats 33; May Pork \$15 10; May Lard \$7 80.

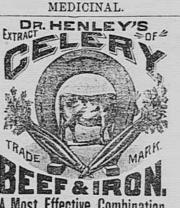


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HEADQES. DEM. CITY COMMITTEE,
Alexandria, Va., 1887.
To the voters of the Third ward:
An election for a member of the Common Council from your ward will be held THURSDAY
next, December 15th, and Mr. C. J. W. SUMMERS
being the democratic nominee, you are earnestly
requested to east your votes for him. The importsace of this election must be apparent to every
democrat, and it is to be hoped that they will
evince their interest in such manner as to bring
out the full democratic vote of the ward.

By order of the committee:

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Lwill be in my store, \$24 King atreet, during the month of December to meet those wishing any information connected with their State or city assessments. Office hours: 2 to 5 o'clock p. m. GEO. DUFFEY. Commissioner of the Revenue LICENSE NOTICE.

All persons doing business for which a license is required, and who have not paid, are requested to call at the Mayor's Office from to 12 to 2 o'clock each day from now to December 31st, and settle. dec5-td JNO. B. SMOOT, Mayor. OW PRICES-Good Cooking Raisins, 7c; best Turkish Prunes, 7c; best Curranta, 7c; best Citron, 25c; Dinuer Nuts, mixed, 15c. All new

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J. E. TACKETT.

E. C. MARSHALL.

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WANTS.

WANTED-A BOOK-KEEPER and COERE-SPONDING CLERK. Must have some knowledge of the grocery business. Address ap-plication to box 200. dcc81w

The following is the circular relating to Virginia coupons, issued by Mr. J. P. Cooper, agent for the English bondholders:

911 E. MAIN ST., RICHMOND, VA., December 9th, 1887.

Dear Sir:—In view of the recent decision of the Supreme Court, I think it proper to advise you of what I propose to do in the future,

I wish to inform every one who has bought coupons with any guaranty, that the guaranty will

I wish to inform every one who has bought coupons with my guaranty, that the guaranty will be acted up to, to the letter, so long as those who purchased the coupons stand up to their side of the contract. They agree to tender coupons for their taxes and I agree to save them harmless. I desire that every pers n who has tendered coupons will disregard the threats of the State's efficers, of suit, arrest or other molestation.

If suits are brought against them under what is propularly known as the "Coupon Crusher," they should disregard the suit and pay no attention to it. Let judgment go against them by default. If the sheriff comes to them with an execution for the judgment, let them tender to him the exact amount of what he claims, in coupons, or in coupons and currency. If he refuses the tender and levies and sells, let them buy in their property at the sale, and report the facts to me. I will at once have suit instituted in the United States Court for damages for the sale. I must insist that all purchasers of coupons with my guaranty shall stand up to their side of the sale states.

states Court for damages for the sale. I must in-sist that all purchasers of coupons with my guar-ranty shall stand up to their side of the contract of indemnity, as I shall stand up to mine. Note this.—If the tax before the suit was \$60, and the tax-payer had tendered 2 \$30 coupons, and the costs of the suit under the Coupon Crush-er had been \$15, let him tender the sheriff who has the execution two \$30 coupons and \$15 in money or the feures and reportions to all the money; or the figures and proportions to suit any

case.

Some persons think that the recent decision of the Supreme Court has destroyed the right of parties to stand on a tender of coupons and recover damages from a State's officer who undertakes to interfere with that right. It has done no such thing but has expressly affirmed it. It has left our right to recover damages from any State's officer who molests us in any way after a tender of coupons, just as it was before.

JAMES P. COOPER.

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The foregoing statement of the law is correct,
dee12 3: WM. L. ROYALL.

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There will be a grand lecture given by the Hon. FREDERICK DOUGLAS, of the District of Columbia,
At ROBERTS CHAPEL, DECEMBER 16, 1887
Subject—Self-made Man."
Proceeds for the purchase of sged house.
Roberts Chapel Choir will render some choice

most comper Chorr will render some choice music on the occasion.

Admission 25c. Tickebran be obtained of the committee—Robert Darnell chairman, Henry Sumby, Parris Simms, Richard T. Thomp on and Presley Diggs.

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